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E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: PLOS, MO

SUBJECT: GOM OFFICIAL COMMENTS ON LOS

REF: RABAT 4661

1. PARA 1B REFTTEL MENTIONS GHARBI'S CONCERN OVER U.S.
ATTEMPT TO QTE DUMP UNQTE AMERASINGHE. WE ASSUME
GHARBI WAS CONFUSING PAUL ENGO, CHAIRMAN OF COMMITTEE ONE,
WHO HAS CREATED MANY PROBLEMS FOR U.S. ON SEABED MINING
ISSUE, WITH AMERASINGHE, PRESIDENT OF THE CONFERENCE.
U.S. HAS HAD AND CONTINUES TO HAVE EXTREMELY CORDIAL
RELATIONS WITH AMERASINGHE. IF GHARBI UNCLEAR ON THIS
POINT, EMBASSY SHOULD ASSURE HIM THAT U.S. MAINTAINS
COMPLETE CONFIDENCE IN AMERASINGHE AND HAS NO REPEAT NO
INTENTION OF ATTEMPTING TO HAVE HIM REMOVED. EMBASSY
SHOULD, AT THE SAME TIME, AVOID IMPLICATION THAT THE U.S.

DESIRES OR WILL ATTEMPT THE REMOVAL OF ENGO. VANCE
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